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PATENT
Att'y Dkt.: 2207/12004

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

JOURDAN, Stephan J.

Serial No.: 09/964,807

Filed: September 28, 2001

For: DEFERRAL OF DEPENDENT LOADS
UNTIL AFTER EXECUTION OF
COLLIDING STORES

Examiner: S.F. Gerstl

Art Unit: 2183

RESPONSE TO MISTAKENLY ISSUED NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENTS

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed on February 7, 2005. In a telephone discussion with Applicants' representative on March 15, 2005, Examiner Gerstl stated that the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was issued in error and would be withdrawn because the last filed Amendment of November 23, 2004 is indeed in compliance. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the Notice be withdrawn and Applicants so notified.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: _____

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